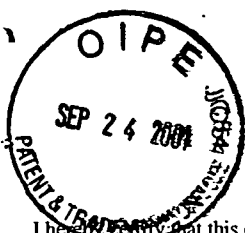


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Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a one-month extension of time within which to respond further to Notice of Appeal mailed June 11, 2001, received by the USPTO on June 18, 2001, such extension allowing the undersigned until September 18, 2001, to respond.

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